

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION  
NO. 5:09-CR-216-FL**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b>DEFENDANTS</b>
	)	<b>SUPPLEMENTAL JURY</b>
<b>HYSEN SHERIFI,</b>	)	<b>QUESTIONNAIRE AND</b>
<b>MOHAMMAD OMAR ALY HASSAN,</b>	)	<b>VOIR DIRE</b>
<b>ZIYAD YAGHI,</b>	)	
<b>Defendants.</b>	)	

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The defendants, Hysen Sherifi, Mohammad Omar Aly Hassan and Ziyad Yaghi, through counsel, submit the attached Defendants Supplemental Jury Questionnaire and Voir Dire for use in this case.

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- distress as a result of the September 11th attack? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- K. Work in or near Somerset County, Pennsylvania? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- L. Know someone who lives in or near Somerset County, Pennsylvania? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- M. Know someone who works in or near Somerset County, Pennsylvania? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Have you or any of your family members or close friends participated in any of the following activities in connection to the events of September 11th?

- A. Visited the Pentagon crash site? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Visited the Twin Tower crash site in New York City? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Visited any memorial site, or attended any memorial service for 9/11 victims and survivors? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Participated in the rebuilding of the Pentagon? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Displayed a flag or other patriotic symbol on your vehicle or home as a result of September 11th? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- F. Purchased a magazine, book or other item commemorating September 11th? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- G. Contacted a Website concerning September 11th related events? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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4. In your opinion, how likely is it that more terrorist attacks will be carried out against major US cities, buildings or national landmarks in the future?

Very Likely \_\_\_\_\_ Not Very Likely \_\_\_\_\_

Somewhat Likely \_\_\_\_\_ Not at All Likely \_\_\_\_\_ No Opinion \_\_\_\_\_

5. How much, if any, have the events surrounding the September 11th attacks on the Pentagon or World Trade Center affected you personally?

A great deal \_\_\_\_\_

A good amount \_\_\_\_\_

Not too much \_\_\_\_\_

Not at all \_\_\_\_\_

6. How much, if any, has your own personal sense of safety and security been shaken by the terrorist attacks?

A great deal \_\_\_\_\_  
Somewhat \_\_\_\_\_  
A little \_\_\_\_\_  
Not at all \_\_\_\_\_

7. Within the last month, how often have you read, seen or heard news reports concerning the events of September 11th terrorist attack, or the U.S. war on terrorism?

More than once a day \_\_\_\_\_  
Once a Day \_\_\_\_\_  
Several times a week \_\_\_\_\_  
A few times a week \_\_\_\_\_  
Once or twice a week \_\_\_\_\_  
Less than once a week \_\_\_\_\_  
Almost never \_\_\_\_\_

8. Have you watched or listened to any documentaries, television specials or interviews or other programs concerning the family members, friends or co-workers of the victims of the September 11 hijackings? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. This case is a prosecution for alleged conspiracies and other crimes associated with terrorism. The defendants were charged in late July, 2009, and there has been media attention to the case since that time. The defendants in this case are:

Daniel Patrick Boyd	Ziyad Yaghi	Mohammad Omar Aly Hassan
Dylan Boyd	Hysen Sherifi	Jude Kenan Mohammed
Zakariya Boyd	Anes Subasic	

The defendants were residents of Wake and Johnston Counties, North Carolina, at the time of their arrests. Media stories of the case nicknamed the case the "Tarheel Terrorists" or "Triangle Terrorists". Some defendants have entered guilty pleas in their individual cases, and are not going to be defendants at trial.

- a. Do you know, or have you had any contact whatsoever, with any of these persons, who, prior to their arrests, lived in Raleigh and Willow Springs, North Carolina?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

b. How much have you heard about this case?

A lot about the case \_\_\_\_\_

Some \_\_\_\_\_

Very little about the case \_\_\_\_\_

Nothing at all \_\_\_\_\_

10. How closely have you followed the news about this case?

Very closely \_\_\_\_\_

Somewhat closely \_\_\_\_\_

Not very closely \_\_\_\_\_

Not at all \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Please indicate from what source(s) you heard about the case. (Check as many as apply):

☐ Television ☐ Newspapers ☐ Radio

☐ Personal knowledge of accused, or his family, friends or acquaintances

☐ Personal knowledge of a victim, or his or her family, friends or acquaintances

☐ Personal conversations with others in the community

☐ Overheard others discussing case

☐ Other sources of information (list): ☐ Other sources of information (list):

(b) Please describe as completely as possible what you have heard about this case.

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(c) What are your thoughts, impressions and opinions, if any, about this case?

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(d) What are your thoughts and opinions, if any, about any of the named defendants?

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11. Have you read or heard about any specific statements attributed to any of the defendants?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Unsure \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

12. How much did you watch of the 9/11/01 media coverage this past weekend:

A lot \_\_\_\_\_

Some \_\_\_\_\_

Very little \_\_\_\_\_

Nothing at all \_\_\_\_\_

13. Did you watch any shows or read any articles that might somehow tie the media coverage to this case? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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14. Do you believe you can set aside your feelings about the media coverage of last week and serve as a fair and impartial juror in this case? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

15. Do you believe you can set aside any emotions or feelings you might have about the events of September 11, 2001 and presume these defendants to be innocent until the Government has proven each defendant's guilt on each element of each count of the second superceding Indictment. Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the undersigned has personally served a copy of the forgoing Defendants Supplemental Jury Questionnaire and Voir Dire, according to the applicable Civil Procedure Rules of this Court, to wit:

  X   CM/ECF (U.S. District Courts; U.S. Courts of Appeal)

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